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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 24 October 1991

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-sixth session

10 a.m. 36th PLENARY MEETING Conference Room 3

1. Tenth anniversary of the University for Peace [26]:

   (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/46/580);

   (b) Draft resolution (A/46/L.14).

2. Elections to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs:

   (a) Election of twelve members of the World Food Council: note by the Secretary-General (A/46/274 and Corr.1 and Add.1) [17 (d)];

   (b) Election of seven members of the Committee for Programme and Coordination: note by the Secretary-General (A/46/279) [17 (e)].

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	15th meeting	Conference Room 4
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	16th meeting	Conference Room 4

General debate on all disarmament items:

Agenda items [47] (A/46/42, 311, 381, 493; A/C.1/46/4, 6); [48] (A/46/493); [49] (A/46/493, 506); [50] (A/46/203, 223, 225, 276, 297, 314, 320*); [51] (A/46/27, 69, 203, 223, 225, 276, 314, 320*, 344, 493, 501/Rev.1); [52] (A/46/69, 84, 203, 223, 225, 276, 314, 320*, 493); [53] (A/46/27, 69, 203, 223, 225, 276, 314, 320*, 493); [54] (A/46/291/Add.1, 329, 493, 571); [55] (A/46/261, 425, 493); [56] (A/46/27, 493); [57] (A/46/27, 493); [58] (A/46/302, 303, 357, 493, 572; A/C.1/46/9); [59] (A/46/27, 289, 329, 344, 463, 493, 501/Rev.1); [60] (A/46/27, 42, 68, 124, 133, 153, 188, 203, 212, 223, 225, 261, 276, 278, 297, 300, 301, 307, 314, 320*, 329, 333/Corr.1, 344, 360, 364, 397, 398, 463, 466, 493, 495, 501/Rev.1, 582; A/C.1/46/3, 4, 6, 10); [61] (A/46/27, 289, 300, 307, 329, 365, 382, 493, 498); [62] (A/46/27, 42, 188, 289, 297, 300, 329, 334, 400, 493; A/C.1/46/4, 6); [63] (A/46/329, 493, 569); [64] (A/46/493); [65] (A/46/29)

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m. | 8th meeting | Trusteeship Council Chamber

Questions relating to information [75] (A/SPC/46/L.5 and L.6

(a) Report of the Committee on Information (A/46/21)

(b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/46/449)

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m. | 20th meeting | Conference Room 2

1. Organization of work (A/C.2/46/L.1/Add.1 and L.3)

2. Industrial development cooperation and the diversification and modernization of productive activities in developing countries [90]

Statement by the Director-General of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization

3. Report of the Economic and Social Council [12] (A/46/3, A/46/558 and Corr.1)

Code of conduct on transnational corporations

4. Development and international economic cooperation (Part II) [77] (A/46/3, A/46/39, A/46/74, A/46/163, A/46/206-E/1991/93 and Add.1 to 4, A/46/273, A/46/283-E/1991/114, A/46/309-S/22807, A/46/315, A/46/317-S/22823, A/46/322, A/46/323-S/22836, A/46/336, A/46/344, A/46/345, A/46/385, A/46/437, A/46/448, A/46/478, A/46/48l, A/46/501/Rev.1, A/46/520, A/46/526, A/46/570; A/C.2/46/4, A/C.2/46/6; A/C.2/46/L.5)

Questions falling under the general heading of the item

(d) Economic and technical cooperation among developing countries

(i) Entrepreneurship

Continuation of the general discussion

3 p.m.- 6 p.m. | 21st meeting | Conference Room 2

1. Report of the Economic and Social Council [12] (A/46/3, A/46/558 and Corr.1)

Code of conduct on transnational corporations

2. Development and international economic cooperation (Part II) [77] (A/46/3, A/46/39, A/46/74, A/46/163, A/46/206-E/1991/93 and Add.1 to 4, A/46/273, A/46/283-E/1991/114, A/46/309-S/22807, A/46/315, A/46/317-S/22823, A/46/322, A/46/323-S/22836, A/46/336, A/46/344, A/46/345, A/46/385, A/46/437, A/46/448, A/46/478, A/46/48l, A/46/501/Rev.1, A/46/520, A/46/526, A/46/570; A/C.2/46/4, A/C.2/46/6; A/C.2/46/L.5)

Questions falling under the general heading of the item

(d) Economic and technical cooperation among developing countries

(i) Entrepreneurship

Conclusion of the general discussion

THIRD COMMITTEE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m. | 21st meeting | Conference Room 3

Social Development [94]

(a) Questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family (A/46/3) (Chap.VI, Sect.B), A/46/56-E/1991/6 and Corr.1, A/46/137-E/1991/40, A/46/281-E/1991/112, A/46/315, A/46/360, A/46/361, A/46/362 and Corr.1, A/46/366, A/46/414 and A/46/501/Rev.1)

Continuation of the general discussion

FOURTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m. | 12th meeting | Conference Room 1

Agenda items 19, 99, 101 and 12 and 103 (A/46/3 (Chapters I and VII (sect. C), A/46/23 (Parts IV to VI), A/46/201, 229, 336, 344, 359, 409, 516, 517 and Corr.1, 555; A/C.4/46/L.2 and L.3; A/AC.109/1056-1063, 1064 and Corr.1, 1065-1967, 1068 and Corr.1, 1069-1071, 1073, 1074 and Corr.1, 1075, 1077, 1078, 1079 and Corr.1, 1082; A/AC.109/L.1761; E/1991/116; S/21360 and S/22578)

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m.- 6 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 6

Informal consultations on agenda item 113 (Pattern of conferences)

SIXTH COMMITTEE

WORKING GROUP ON THE UNITED NATIONS DECADE OF INTERNATIONAL LAW

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	20th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

Exploitation of the environment as a weapon in times of armed conflict and the taking of practical measures to prevent such exploitation [140] (A/46/141 and A/46/358-S/22931)

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

UNITED NATIONS ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Room S-3001
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Room S-3001

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE ON COORDINATION

Second regular session

12 noon.- 1 p.m.	1st meeting (closed)	Conference Room 8
3.30 p.m.- 6 p.m.	2nd meeting (closed)	Conference Room 8

OTHER MEETINGS

1991 UNITED NATIONS DISARMAMENT FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMME

9.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room B
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room B

ARAB GROUP OF THE THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room A

NON-ALIGNED GROUP OF THE AD HOC COMMITTEE ON THE INDIAN OCEAN

Morning*- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 4

* Following the adjournment of the 15th meeting of the First Committee.

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE FOURTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 1

GROUP OF THE LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES

6 p.m.- 7.30 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Friday, 25 October 1991

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-sixth session

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	17th meeting	Conference Room 4
3 p.m.	18th meeting	

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	9th meeting	Conference Room 2
3 p.m.	10th meeting	

SECOND COMMITTEE

*Informal consultations**

10 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
3 p.m.	closed meeting	

* See note below.

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	22nd meeting	Conference Room 3

INFORMAL OPEN-ENDED WORKING GROUP ON THE RATIONALIZATION OF THE WORK OF THE THIRD COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 9

FOURTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	13th meeting	Conference Room 1
3 p.m.	14th meeting	

FIFTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	14th meeting	Conference Room 3

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	21st meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

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The SECOND COMMITTEE will commence informal consultations on Friday, 25 October on draft proposals which have been submitted.

Under the Chairmanship of Mr. Ion Barac (Romania), Vice-Chairman of the Committee, informal consultations will be held on the following draft proposals: A/C.2/46/L.13 and L.15 [item 89] and A/C.2/46/L.17 [item 90]. The meeting will take place from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 5.

Under the Chairmanship of Mr. Bozorgmehr Ziaran (Iran, Islamic Republic of), Vice-Chairman of the Committee, informal consultations will be held on the draft proposal contained in document A/C.2/46/L.14 [77 (j)], at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Monday, 28 October 1991

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-sixth session

3 p.m. 37th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Cooperation between the United Nations and the Latin American Economic System [25]:
   (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/46/419);
   (b) Draft resolution (A/46/L.17).
2. Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of the Islamic Conference [27]:
   (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/46/417 and Add.1);
   (b) Draft resolution (A/46/L.16).
3. Cooperation between the United Nations and the League of Arab States: report of the Secretary-General (A/46/438) [34].
4. Organization of work of the forty-sixth regular session of the General Assembly: letter from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences (A/46/374/Add.3*) [8].

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* To be issued.

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The 1991 UNITED NATIONS PLEDGING CONFERENCE FOR DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, 5 and 6 November 1991, at 10 a.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

It would be appreciated if delegations that have not already done so would submit in writing the names of their representatives to the Division of Economic and Social Council Affairs and Secretariat Services (Mr. A. De Barros, Room S-2977C).

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 45/215, delegations wishing the address the Conference should inscribe the names of their representatives in the list of speakers, which will be open from 28 October to 4 November in Room S-2977C.

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OTHER MEETINGS

An informal meeting of States Parties to the Convention on the Prohibition of Military or Any Other Hostile Use of Environmental Modification Techniques (ENMOD) will be held on Friday morning, 25 October 1991, in Conference Room 4, immediately following the adjournment of the morning plenary meeting of the First Committee.

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The JOINT UNITED NATIONS/INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION MEETING OF PARLIAMENTARIANS ATTENDING THE FORTY-SIXTH SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY will be held on Friday, 25 October 1991, at 10.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 6.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Wednesday, 23 October 1991

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-sixth session

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE 13th meeting

General debate on all disarmament agenda items (items 47 to 65)

The Committee continued its general debate on all disarmament agenda items and heard statements by the representatives of Ghana, Venezuela, Pakistan and Angola.

14th meeting

The Committee continued its general debate on all disarmament agenda items and heard statements by the representatives of the Dominican Republic, Mozambique, the United Republic of Tanzania an the United Arab Emirates.

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE 7th meeting

Questions relating to Information [75]

The Chairman drew members' attention to the documentation relating to item 75.

The Under-Secretary-General for Public Information, made an introductory statement.

The Chairman of the Committee on Information, Mr. R. Lagorio, introduced the report of the Committee.

The Director, UNESCO Liaison Office, made an introductory statement.

The Committee then began its general debate on item 75 and heard statements by the representatives of the Netherlands (who spoke on behalf of the twelve members of the European Community), Pakistan, Ecuador, Uruguay, Finland (who spoke on behalf of the Nordic countries), Brazil and Argentina.

The Chairman announced that the list of speakers for item 75 would be closed at the end of the afternoon on 23 October.

THIRD COMMITTEE 20th meeting

Social development [94]

a) *Questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family*

The Committee began its consideration of the item and heard introductory statements by the Director of the Social Development Division, Centre for Social Development and Humanitarian Affairs of the United Nations Office at Vienna, and Coordinator of the International Year of the Family, and by the representative of the Office of the Under-Secretary-General for International Economic and Social Affairs.

The Special Representative of the Secretary-General for the Promotion of the United Nations Decade of Disabled Persons also made a statement.

The representative of UNESCO made a statement and introduced the report on the International Literacy Year.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Netherlands (on behalf of the European Community), the Dominican Republic, Denmark, Cameroon and Egypt.

Organization of work

The representatives of Austria, Algeria and China made statements.

The Secretary of the Committee also made a statement.

Elimination of racism and racial discrimination [92]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

Draft resolution A/C.3/46/L.8

The representative of Yugoslavia, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Canada and New Zealand, introduced the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/46/L.9

The representative of Ethiopia, on behalf of the States Members of the United Nations that are members of the Group of African States, introduced the draft resolution.

*Draft resolution A/C.3/46/L.11**

The representative of Zambia, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as of Angola and Namibia, introduced the draft resolution. Subsequently, Burkina Faso, Iraq, Mozambique, Uganda and Viet Nam joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Right of peoples to self-determination [93]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

Draft resolution A/C.3/46/L.10

The representative of Ethiopia, on behalf of the States Members of the United Nations that are members of the Group of African States, introduced the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/46/L.12

The representative of Pakistan, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Guatemala and Kuwait, introduced the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/46/L.13

The representative of Nigeria, on behalf also of Angola, Colombia, Cuba, Mexico, Peru, the United Republic of Tanzania, Viet Nam, Zambia and Zimbabwe, introduced the draft resolution.

FOURTH COMMITTEE 11th meeting

Agenda items 19 (chapters of the report of the Special Committee of 24 relating to specific Territories not already covered by other items), 99, 101 and 12 and 103

The general debate continued with statements by the representatives of Qatar, the United Kingdom, Nigeria, Uruguay, Cyprus, Denmark (on behalf also of Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden), Botswana, the Philippines, Belarus, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Cape Verde and Bolivia.

Statements on a point of order were made by the representatives of Indonesia and Cape Verde.

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of Indonesia and Cape Verde.

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [19]

Question of Western Sahara

Cyprus became a co-sponsor of draft resolution A/C.4/46/L.2.

Statements were made by the representative of Morocco and by the Chairman.

FIFTH COMMITTEE 13th meeting

Joint Inspection Unit [112]

The representatives of Japan and Indonesia made statements.

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993 [107]

Programme planning [108]

Statements were made by the representatives of Morocco (on behalf of the State Members of the Arab Maghreb Union), India, Bulgaria, Brazil, the United States, Zaire, Romania and Ukraine.

Organization of work

Statements were made by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee and by the representatives of the Netherlands and Cuba.

SIXTH COMMITTEE 19th meeting

Exploitation of the environment as a weapon in times of armed conflict and the taking of practical measures to prevent such exploitation [140]

Statements were made by the representatives of Austria, China, Malaysia, Brazil, Guatemala and the Permanent Observer of Switzerland.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies, approved by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 21 November 1947

Accession: Cameroon (23 October 1991)*

Statutes of the International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology, concluded at Madrid on 13 September 1983

Ratification: Sudan (21 October 1991)*

International Coffee Agreement, 1983, adopted by the International Coffee Council on 16 September 1982, as further extended under Resolution No. 352 of the International Coffee Council on 28 September 1990

Accession: Cameroon (23 October 1991)*

Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties, concluded at Vienna on 23 May 1969

Accession: Cameroon (23 October 1991)*

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

New United Nations stamps

The United Nations Postal Administration will issue today, 24 October 1991, a set of six stamps to commemorate fortieth Anniversary of UNPA. The denominations will be 30 cents, 40 cents, F.s. 0,50, F.s. 1,60, S 5 and S 8. The Administration will also issue its second set of three maximum cards.

Details about the new stamps and maximum cards will be found in circular ST/IC/1991/53 dated 12 September 1991. The new stamps, maximum cards and hand cancellations may be obtained by staff members at the north end of the Secretariat Lobby from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on 24 October 1991.

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United Nations Information Fair

In commemoration of the forty-sixth anniversary of the United Nations, the Public Services Section of the Department of Public Information will hold a *United Nations Information Fair* until 31 October 1991 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., in the Public Lobby of the General Assembly Building. Representatives of various organizations of the United Nations system will be present to answer questions and provide information material on their current and future efforts.

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Meeting

Thursday, 24 October 1991

STAFF COUNCIL

1.15 p.m.- 2.30 p.m.	(open to staff members only)	Conference Room 6

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